



# 2005-06 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT SUPPLEMENT

## Region 08

## H.S. 455

### BOYS AND GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL

New York City Public Schools

Joel I. Klein, Chancellor

Grade Levels:

Students on Oct. 31, 2005: 4,400

Students on May 1, 2006:

#### School Mission Statement

*Boys and Girls High School is committed to providing a safe and secure environment that enables our students to display growth and development academically, socially, culturally and emotionally. It is our moral obligation to prepare our students to become productive and responsible citizens. We view the school as a vehicle that can have tremendous impact on the child's ability to succeed in society. Our approach to urban education is a straight forward formula: collaboration enlisting a dedicated staff, disciplined students and an actively participating community.*

#### Principal's Statement

This school is a leader in innovative urban education. Through the collaborative efforts of the entire learning community, we provide academic and extracurricular programs that foster cognitive, social and personal growth. It is our mission to mold adolescents into responsible adults. Boys and Girls H.S. has served as a role model for larger urban zoned high schools. Educators from all over the United States have visited our school.

#### Special Academic Programs

This school's special academic programs included: A gifted and talented/honors program, The Arthur Ashe Health Institute, Peer Tutoring Program, Exemplary Mentoring Program, Computer Option Program and a Business Management Program. Boys and Girls HS has received more than \$500,000 for computer equipment donated by Paul Tudor Jones.

#### Extracurricular Activities

More than 25 Championship Varsity and Junior Varsity teams, Cheerleading Squad, Student Service Organizations, Youth and Government Organizations, Drama Club, Talent Shows, Jazz Band, Kangaroo Basketball Classic, and Incentive Program. Both our Boys and Girls Track Teams have set records at state, city and national meets.

#### Community Support

We have formed partnerships with Carter G. Woodson Cultural Literacy Program, Bank of America, City Year, Downstate Medical Center, Federal Reserve Bank, LYNX, Brooklyn Oldtimers, Historical Black Colleges and Universities, senior citizen organizations, etc.

#### Parent/School Support

Parents are invited to join us in honoring their children at our Incentive Awards Programs, College Night, Financial Aid Seminars. Academic seminars along with Open School activities provides our parents the opportunity become more attuned to the children needs.

#### 2006-07 School Accountability Status:

Requiring Academic Progress - Year 4

#### This school received Title I Funding in:

2004-05: NO; 2005-06: NO; 2006-07: NO

The Division of Assessment and Accountability (DAA) compiled this report primarily from central databases and information provided by this school's principal. Throughout the report, N/A indicates that information was not available or did not apply to this school. The 2005-2006 Annual School Report is a supplement to the New York State Education Department's School Report Card for New York City Schools. Consult the Parent Guide for an explanation of the data in this report. Other DAA reports can be obtained online at [www.nyc.gov/daa](http://www.nyc.gov/daa).

# STUDENTS

## Involved In Police Department Incidents

The total enrollment in this consolidated location is 4400 students. Please keep this number in mind as you review the numbers of incidents.

	This school	Consolidated Locations	Similar Size schools
<b>Major Crimes</b>			
Property Crimes	2		3.0
Crimes Against Persons	8		4.2
Other Crimes	12		22.6
Non- Criminal	20		52.4

Similar-Size Schools include all schools and consolidated locations with enrollments of 4000+ students.

<http://schools.nyc.gov/ourschools/schoolsafety.htm>

## Recent Immigrants\*

Percent of enrollment	2004	2005	2006
This school	7.6	6.9	4.8
Similar schools	13.4	11.1	8.5
City schools	11.6	9.8	7.6

\* Students enrolled as of Oct. 31, 2005 who immigrated to the U.S. within the last three years.

## Recent Immigrants' Place of Birth

Percent of students	2006
TRINIDAD & TOBAGO	1
GUYANA	1
JAMAICA	0.9

## Profile of Entering Ninth and Tenth Graders\*

Characteristics	This School	Similar Schools	City Schools
	Percent	Percent	Percent
Gender Male	58.7	52.7	50.5
Gender Female	41.3	47.3	49.5
Part-time Special Education	5.7	7.1	5.8
Full-time Special Education	14.2	7.1	5.2
ELL	1.7	13.7	12.8
Over-age for grade	36.9	38.1	29.9
Percent eligible for free lunch	36.9	38.1	29.9
Avg. daily attend. during prior sem.	88.8	87.8	89.8
Percent meeting standard in:			
ELA (tested only)	13	17.2	32.7
Mathematics (tested only)	21.7	25.3	40.8

\* This information is for the students who were on register as new 9th and 10th graders on October 31, 2005 and came from another school.

\* Not applicable to elementary and middle schools

## Admission to Other Schools in September 2005

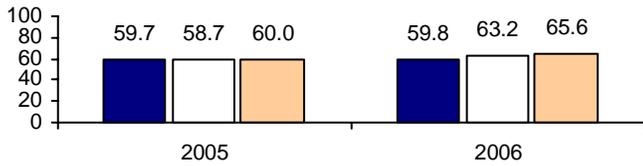
School Name	Boro	District	Leavers*	
			School Number	Percent

\* Leavers are students who left their school for any reason.

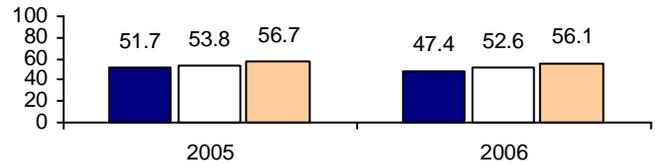
# SCHOOL CHARACTERISTICS

## TEACHERS

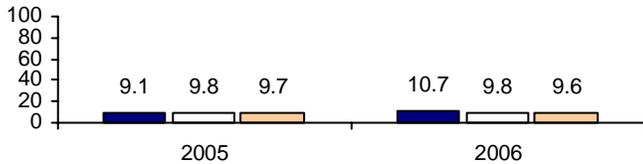
Percent More Than Two Years Teaching in This School



Percent More Than Five Years Teaching Anywhere



Average Days Absent



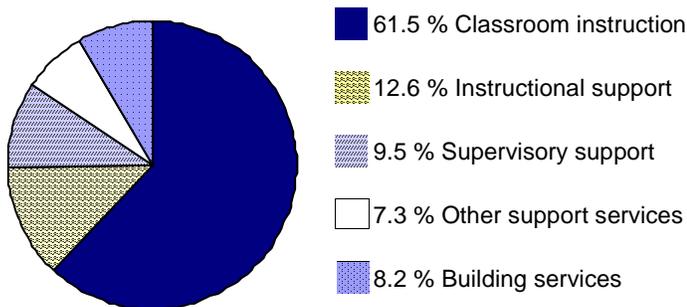
## SCHOOL EXPENDITURES

Average Spending Per Student (Direct Services Only)

	2004	2005	2006
This school	\$6,864	\$7,880	N/A
Similar schools	\$10,651	\$11,055	N/A
City schools	\$11,138	\$11,607	N/A

Note: The state calculation of school expenditures per student for direct and indirect services in 2004 was \$12,896 for all New York City schools. An average of \$13,085 was calculated for all New York State schools including those in New York City.

How money was spent in this school in 2005 (Direct Services Only)



0.8 % is used for District Support.

## OTHER SCHOOL INFORMATION

School Capacity

Percent of utilization*	2004	2005	2006
This school	99.7	109.5	109.4
Similar schools	100.7	102.2	96.8
City schools	106.0	106.4	103.5

\*When over 100%, school has exceeded official capacity.

# PERFORMANCE OF ALL STUDENTS ON REGENTS EXAMINATIONS

	2004-2005				2005-2006			
	Number	55 - 100	65 - 100	85 - 100	Number	55 - 100	65 - 100	85 - 100
	Tested	Percent	Percent	Percent	Tested	Percent	Percent	Percent
<b>ENGLISH</b>								
<b>This School</b>	659	82.4	53.4	6.7	769	81.1	53.7	5.6
<b>Similar Schools</b>	21585	71.3	50.5	8.1	24495	70.9	52.7	8.5
<b>City Schools</b>	63738	78.1	61.6	16.6	70344	77.6	62.9	16.6
<b>MATH A</b>								
<b>This School</b>	585	87.4	61.9	2.6	752	87.2	62.4	5.2
<b>Similar Schools</b>	26130	74.9	49.3	5.1	27815	77.4	50.6	4.8
<b>City Schools</b>	74616	81.2	61.0	13.6	76930	83.1	62.3	13.9
<b>MATH B</b>								
<b>This School</b>	50	36.0	20.0	2.0	70	48.6	22.9	0.0
<b>Similar Schools</b>	3146	55.0	41.6	8.6	4042	52.7	39.0	7.5
<b>City Schools</b>	18163	70.4	58.5	16.3	21205	68.9	56.4	15.5
<b>CHEMISTRY</b>								
<b>This School</b>	18	94.4	66.7	5.6	12	100.0	50.0	0.0
<b>Similar Schools</b>	5679	59.9	34.4	3.3	5133	60.8	35.1	3.8
<b>City Schools</b>	23988	77.5	55.9	10.5	24062	79.3	58.0	13.1
<b>LIVING ENVIRONMENT</b>								
<b>This School</b>	331	78.9	52.0	2.1	270	78.9	49.6	2.2
<b>Similar Schools</b>	20061	63.9	41.8	2.8	21169	67.3	42.9	2.6
<b>City Schools</b>	62307	72.7	55.2	10.6	65322	76.0	56.5	9.7
<b>GLOBAL HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY</b>								
<b>This School</b>	918	77.1	48.7	5.7	1044	56.5	37.7	5.5
<b>Similar Schools</b>	24901	59.8	38.8	6.5	27371	55.6	36.1	7.0
<b>City Schools</b>	73666	68.8	51.1	15.3	77999	66.6	49.4	16.5
<b>U.S. HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT</b>								
<b>This School</b>	406	96.6	88.7	29.3	488	87.7	73.6	22.1
<b>Similar Schools</b>	18654	67.9	49.5	13.8	21232	73.2	53.3	15.1
<b>City Schools</b>	60352	76.4	61.9	25.6	65271	79.8	64.0	27.7
<b>LANGUAGES OTHER THAN ENGLISH</b>								
<b>This School</b>	139	98.6	93.5	36.0	171	99.4	98.2	40.4
<b>Similar Schools</b>	4973	97.0	94.0	63.0	4777	96.9	93.7	64.7
<b>City Schools</b>	22273	98.1	96.3	66.7	21600	98.2	96.2	67.4

These data are based on all students, including General Education and Special Education students, regardless of services received.

# OTHER INDICATORS

## SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST (SAT) IN 2005-2006

### Percent of 11th and 12th graders taking SAT

	This School	Similar Schools	City Schools
11th and 12th grade enrollment	1114	27984	100890
Percent taking SAT	27.1	33.6	36.1

#### Average SAT Scores\*

SAT Section	This School	Similar Schools	City Schools
Verbal	403	391	444
Mathematics	392	396	467

\* Scores on each segment of this test range from 200 to 800.

## STUDENT PLANS AFTER GRADUATION

### Post-high school plans of the 2006 graduates\*

	This School Percent	Similar Schools Percent	City Schools Percent
4-Year college	0	36.9	44.3
2-Year college	0	17.6	16.2
Employment	0	4.5	3.3
Military services	0	1.4	0.9
Other	100	39.6	35.2

\*\* Data are not reported if the total number of 2006 graduates are less than 20.

\* These are student reports, which do not include IEP diplomas or local certificates.